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Art. I. Name.

The name of this Association shall be the "Aurora Snow Shoe Club" and it is established with a view to encourage a taste for the exercise of Snow Shoeing.

Art. II. Colors.

The Colors of the Club shall be Red and Dark Blue.

Art. III. Club Uniform.

The Club Uniform shall consist of a red Tuque with a dark blue Tassel, dark blue Blanket Coat, trimmed with red, dark blue Knickerbockers trimmed with red, and red Stockings.

Art. IV. Officers.

Its Officers shall consist of a President, two Vice-Presidents, a Secretary Treasurer, and an

Assistant-Secretary Treasurer, to be elected at the Annual General Meeting of the Club.

A Committee of Management of five Members, shall also be elected at the same meeting, who, with the above Officers, shall constitute a Committee to manage all the business of the Club.

This Committee of Management shall act as Councillors to the President.

Art. V. Duties of the President.

It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings, to see that the Rules of the Club are strictly enforced, to order Special Meetings of the Club upon the request of the Committee of Management or of any ten (10) Members; the request of the latter to be given in writing; to declare the votes and to have a general supervision over the affairs of the Club.

In the absence of the President, one of the Vice-Presidents shall perform his duties.

Art. VI. Secretary Treasurer and Assist. Secretary Treasurer.

The Secretary Treasurer and Assistant Se-

cretary Treasurer shall conjointly keep a Record of the transactions of all meetings, notify members and conduct all the Correspondence of the Club, shall collect all annual subscriptions, and keep a regular account thereof, which must be submitted to the Committee of Management whenever required, and they can make no disbursements without the President's order in writing.

Art. VII. Committee.

The Committee of Management shall have charge of, and with the President, control all matters affecting the welfare of the Club, subject to this Constitution, and decide all questions of difference that may arise affecting the interest of the Club. They shall hold meetings as often as the business of the Club requires, and whenever summoned by the President. or Secretary

Art. VIII. Quorum.

At all meetings of the Club, ten (10) shall form a quorum, and at all Committee meetings four (4) shall form a quorum for the transaction of Business.

Art. IX. Removal of Officers.

Any Officer of the Club can be removed from Office by a vote of two-thirds of the members present, at a meeting called for that special purpose, and his successor immediately elected.

Art. X. Membership.

Every candidate must be proposed in writing, by one member and seconded by another, and such proposition handed to the Secretary at one meeting and announced at that meeting, to be laid before the next meeting for approval. The election shall be by ballot, one black ball in every ten (10) to exclude the applicant. Any member on joining any other Snow Shoe Club, shall immediately cease to be a member of this Club. No person shall be eligible for membership being a Member of any other Snow Shoe Club, or under the age of eighteen years.

Art. XI. Subscription.

The annual subscription shall be one (1) dollar.

Every candidate on being elected a member shall sign the Constitution and By-Laws, and

pay his dues. The Proposer and Seconder being held responsible for same.

Art. XII. Life Membership.

Any Member, on the payment of eight (8) dollars, or of ten (10) years standing may be declared a Life Member of this Club, entitled to all the privileges of an ordinary Member.

Art. XIII. Honorary Membership.

Persons of distinction shall be eligible for admission as Honorary Life Members to be elected by ballot after recommendation by the Committee at a meeting specially called for that purpose.

Art. XIV. Expulsion.

A Member who may have been guilty of ungentlemanly conduct may be expelled by a majority of a meeting of the Club, specially called for that purpose with six days previous notice.

Art. XV. Meetings.

The Club shall walk every Thursday Evening, during the winter season. The muster

will take place at the Esplanade at a quarter to eight o'clock. The "Leader" and "Whipper in" to be chosen by the Senior Officer on the ground at the start. No Member shall pass the "Leader" without his permission.

The Annual Meeting shall be held on the Second Thursday of November of each year.

Art. XVI. Amendments.

One month's previous notice being given, this Constitution may be altered or amended at any meeting specially called for that purpose, by a vote of two-thirds of the Members present.